

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend <sup>✓</sup> paragraphs [0004] and [0005] as follows:

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[0004] LCDs (Liquid Crystal Displays), which are relatively thin and light weight, have been developed to replace the conventional CRT. In recent years, LCDs have begun to play an important role as a ~~plat-type~~ flat-type display device, thereby increasing market demand for LCDs.

*B'* [0005] Generally, a low cost, high performance thin film transistor-LCD (TFT-LCD) employs a non-crystalline ~~silicene~~ silicon thin film transistor as a switching element. Currently, most LCD development is directed toward high resolution systems such as SVGA (800 × 600) and XGA (1024 × 768) as compared to VGA (Video Graphic Array; maximum resolution: 640 × 480 pixels). Consequently, development and application of the TFT-LCD industry have been accelerated due to increase in size and enhancement in resolution. As a result, there have been many attempts to increase manufacturing productivity and decrease cost by simplifying manufacturing processes and improving manufacturing yield.

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